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27-inch Colored Allogers, white on navy, red on navy and navy on red, fire salvage price, 45c a yard; regular price, \$1.55 a yard.  
1,000 Remnants of Embroideries of every description for almost nothing.

## LACES AND NETS.

49 pieces Black and Cream 48-inch Drapery Fish Nets, fire salvage price, 25c a yard; regular price, 65c a yard.  
19 pieces 27-inch Black Escorial and Chantilly Nets (every thread silk), fire salvage price, 60c a yard; regular price, \$2.75 and \$1.50 a yard.  
48-inch Black Silk Drapery Nets, "La Toque," "Polka Dot" and striped, fire salvage price, 98c a yard; regular price, \$1.75 a yard.  
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A beautiful line Black Chantilly Laces (every thread silk), from 2 to 6 inches, fire salvage price, 15c, 20c and 25c; regular price, 30c and 35c.  
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The largest stock of Hand-Made Torchon and Medici Laces in the city from 2c up.

## CORSETS.

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Ask to see the "Alice," our own importation, 75c; worth \$1.  
C. B. French Sateen Corsets, all colors, beautiful long waists, for \$1; worth \$1.50.  
Misses' and Children's Corsets and Waists in great variety from 50c to \$1.

## CLOAKS.



Ladies' Plush Jackets, full directoire style, with pout shoulders, large silk crocheted buttons, best grade satin lining, chamamois pockets, fire salvage price, \$16.50; regular price, \$32.50.  
Ladies' Plain and Fancy Striped Newmarkets, loose front, can be made tight fitting if desired, with combination bell and coat sleeves, fire salvage price, \$4.75; regular price, \$12.50.  
Children's Gretchen Cloaks, with and without capes, ages 4 to 8, fire salvage price, \$1.25; regular price, \$3.  
Children's Directoire Style Cloaks in pretty stripes, with Gretchen skirts, 5 to 12 years, fire salvage price, \$4; regular price, \$7.50 and \$9.50.  
Children's Jerseys, plain or plaited fronts, in browns, blues and tans, regular \$1.25 and \$1.50 goods; fire salvage price, 50c.  
Jackets in all styles, goods worth double; selling for \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50 up to \$6.  
Ladies' Spring Weight Stockinet Jackets, fire salvage price, \$2.75; regular price, \$4.75.

Misses' Braid-Trimmed Cloth or Cashmere Suits, ages 12 to 16, **For \$5.00.**

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Ladies' Spring Weight Peasants, plain and plaid effects, satin faced or with same material, with yoke or plain rows of shirring, fire salvage price, \$6.50; regular price, \$10.

In handsome black and white plaids, fire salvage price, \$8.50; regular price, \$12.

Ladies' Newmarkets, with revers and large buttons, a very pretty pattern of brown mixed goods, Scotch effects, same pattern in gray mixed, fire salvage price, \$7.50; regular price, \$15.

Ladies' Newmarkets, in stripes of old gold and blue, black and gray, light brown and tan, all well made and perfect fitting, fire salvage price, \$7.50; regular price, \$15.

Ladies' Newmarkets in plain color, black and navy blue, tailor made, handsomely bound with braid, bell sleeve and English back, fire salvage price, \$7.50; regular price, \$15.

Combination Suits for Misses, ages 12 to 16, **For \$2.90.**

## FLANNELS.

25 pieces German imported plaid and striped Sacquing Flannel, fire salvage price, 25c; regular price, 45c.

30-inch Scotch fancy striped and plaid Flannels, unshrinkable, fire salvage price, 35c; regular price, 50c.

5 cases English Flannel, mill remnants, handsome styles, fire salvage price, 11c; regular price, 20c.

## Winter Skirts.

19 doz zephyr knit Skirts, fire salvage price, 50c on the dollar.

50 doz farmer's satin quilted Skirts, fire salvage price, \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.75; regular price, \$1.25, \$2 and \$2.50.

35 doz 10-4 Skirt Patterns, fire salvage price, \$1.25; regular price, \$1.75.  
10-4 heavy Skirting flannel, fire salvage price, \$1.25; regular price, \$1.65.

## FURS.

5 doz Ladies' Astrachan Muffs, fire salvage price, 50c; regular price, \$1.

Silver Hare Muffs, fire salvage price, 75c; regular price, \$1.25.

Silk plush Muffs, fire salvage price, \$1.25; regular price, \$3.

Alaska Seal Muffs, fire price, \$2; regular price, \$3.50.

Best quality Nutria Muffs, fire price, \$1.25; regular price, \$3.

Red and Silver Fox Muffs, fire price, \$3; regular price, \$4.50.

Badger Muffs, \$3; regular price, \$4.50.

Lynx Belly Fur, fire price, \$2.75 a yd; regular price, \$4.

Feather Trimming, fire price, 10c a yd; regular price, 25c a yd.

## WASH GOODS.

An extra quality of Apron Gingham in stripe and brown check, fire salvage price, 5c a yd; regular price, 7½c a yd.  
Extra heavy 32-inch German Indigo, fire salvage price, 10c; regular price, 12½c a yd.

36-inch fine French Percale for Boys' Shirt Waists, all new designs, fire salvage price 15c a yd; regular price, 20c a yd.

Also a large line of new and handsome Spring Dress Gingham at reduced prices as follows: 7½c, 10c, 12½c, 20c and 25c a yd.

## HOUSE-FURNISHINGS THAT GO THROUGH THE SALE MILL AT FIRE SALVAGE PRICES!



Handsome 12-Piece Decorated Toilet Sets, different designs, including Slop Jar, for \$4.98. Regular price \$8.50.



Japanese Tea Pots, 17 cents.



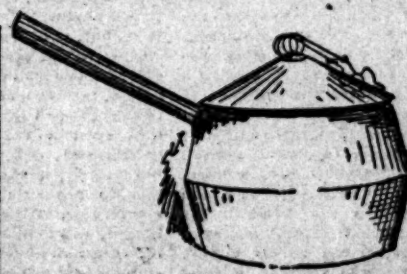
Silver-Plated Tea and Table-spoons, 4c and 8c.



Stamped Sauce Pan, like cut, 8 cts.



Japanned Coal Hods, 19 cts.



Porcelain-lined Iron Stew-Pans, with cover, extra large, 50c.



Fine Imported Engraved WINE DECANTERS, 24 Cents.



Large Granite Hotel Coffee Boilers, \$1.75.



Fancy Japanned Bird Cages, 47c.



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# TORIES DISMAYED.

Almost Certain Downfall Awaiting Them When Parliament Meets Next Tuesday.

The Orléanist Fiasco Only the Escapade of a Raah Young Man.

General Approval of Emperor William's Proposed International Labor Congress.

The Republic Spectre Haunting the Authorities of the Iberian Peninsula.

All Shades of Opinion Point to the Early Dissolution of the Next Parliament—Defections That May Hasten the Crisis—Political Intrigue Behind the O'Shea Suit—Current London Gossip—Protective Tariff France's Only Hope to Maintain Her Military Footing—The Orléanist Pretender Excited—Only Division in Paris—The Wild West Show Likely to Land in the Courts—Parliamentary Palace—The Concurrent Action Aided by Emperor William on the Labor Question Generally Approved—Berlin Budget—A Proposed Mass Meeting on Tuesday Next in Madrid—Causing the Authorities Anxiety—General Foreign News.

Special Cablegram to the Post-Dispatch. LONDON, Feb. 8.—Parliament opens on Tuesday, and already most of the members have arrived in London. In the discussions at the various clubs to-day the probable contents of the Queen's speech seems to be almost entirely neglected, while much talk is heard on all sides regarding the possibility of an early dissolution. Mr. Lawrence, a leading Conservative, speaking on the latter subject, said:

"The recent quasi-official denial of an impending dissolution need not be taken as conclusive. In independent Conservative quarters for some time past speculation has pointed in the direction of a general election in the course of the present year, and from time to time a rumor has been current that preparations for such a contingency were being made at Conservative headquarters. No one will believe, who knows anything of the cross-currents of opinion in ministerial quarters, that

A PARLIAMENTARY CRISIS is out of the question. It is said to be a fact that up to the present time, near as the commencement is, nothing has been settled with regard to the action of the ministry. It is a fact that the Irish local government is in a state of confusion. Yet this is a matter in regard to which some of the leading unionists, like Mr. Courtney, are pledged to tolerate no delay. The same obstructive forces which have so far prevented the matter from being satisfactorily dealt with have changed the original nature of the land purchase bill and are now believed to be in absolute revolt over the education question. If Lord Salisbury sees no chance of carrying a united Cabinet with him in the programme which he desires to place before the country, it would be a bold and possibly a successful stroke not to wait until his Government had been weakened by successive defections, but to get rid of the obstructive element by a dissolution, at the same time calling on Lord Hartington for the help which he is pledged to give in such a crisis as the formation of a new government. This is at least a view of the possibilities of the case which is not altogether without foundation. There is no doubt whatever that the Government consider that the divorce proceedings have greatly

DAMAGED MR. PARKELL'S POSITION, and that they have hopes of a favorable effect from their point of view on the political situation of the report of the Special Commission. This state of things, taken in connection with the differences existing in the Cabinet, would seem to tend toward a policy of bold measures. Of course, the actual decision of the Prime Minister respecting a dissolution would only be confirmed to two or three of his colleagues, but in no well-informed ministerial quarter outside of the official circle does the opinion prevail that a general election is not an event which all parties should be prepared for."

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THE LIBERALS CONFIDENT. Mr. Gladstone and his colleagues held a meeting to-day to discuss the policy of the Liberals and the Irish members at the opening of Parliament next Tuesday, and especially over the action to be taken against the Government and the Times over the Parnell commission. They would prefer to proceed by motion for a breach of privilege, but the Tory majority would scarcely assent to a proposal against their constituents. Parnell's attitude is that his object is not so much to send Walter to a reformatory in the clock tower as to secure a full inquiry into the forgery conspiracy and the methods of procuring evidence, respecting which he has great mass of valuable information to bring before a select committee. He has resolved that such inquiry shall come sooner or later. The O'Shea suit as a political move has fallen flat, because Parnell has grasped with a like man. His bench is completely deserted. He has never been in better form in every way than he is at present. In talking to his leading colleagues to-day he assured them that if the case was ever investigated they need have no fear that his honor would be tarnished or the Irish cause compromised, though their loyalty to him would not have been materially affected whichever way it went. They were greatly pleased at this assurance, which they implicitly accept. Only to-day a leading Irish member, who has been in possession of the main facts of the case, said that it would be a great victory for Parnell and that from what he had heard Parnell's infamy was small and trivial compared to O'Shea's history.

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effects of the Irish leader out of the window in a most unceremonious manner, and was stopped by his mother, between whom and her son there exists a painful scene of criminalization and defiance. The son promptly informed his father of his discovery and the latter then, thoroughly convinced of the hopelessness of his wife's infatuation, began to be tried in the courts.

LONDON Gossip. Prince Augustus of Sax-Coburg, grandson of Dom Pedro, ex-Emperor of Brazil, is suffering from dementia. The dock laborers at Dundee all strike Monday for an advance in their wages of 1d per hour. The union dockers and carmen have withdrawn their manifesto against non-union and a conflict between the two factions has thus been avoided.

A dispatch from St. Petersburg states that the Russian government appears to dread Chinese coup d'état on the Amur River, as large numbers of hostile troops are being massed at Manchuria. The English press have devoted an unusual amount of space to commenting on the plans of the German Emperor for the amelioration of the workingmen, the articles thereon being highly diversified. All of the papers agreed, however, that the movement, deserving though it may, will utterly fail of success in the direction intended unless Germany shall also abandon protection and join England in the adoption of free trade.

PARNEILL'S PERSECUTIONS. Political Intrigue Prompting the O'Shea Suit—Who Fears the Blot? LONDON, Feb. 8.—Sufficient to stamp the O'Shea suit as a fraud is the fact that it has its source partly from political intrigue and partly from pecuniary motives. Parnell can prove the complexity of the transactions preceding the filing of the suit. O'Shea has money and never had, his wife having always supported him out of her fortune. Recently Mrs. O'Shea's mother died, leaving her all her property, valued at about £70,000, and bequeathed nothing to any of her other sons or daughters. These relatives have insisted that the suit be dropped, but Parnell has refused to do so. The suit is calculated to prejudice Mrs. O'Shea in upholding her title to the money, and besides a considerable part of this money is held by his wife in trust for their children.

O'SHEA'S DEFICIENCY. If O'Shea's suit is to be a success, it must be a success in securing custody of the children. O'Shea made an affidavit to the effect that he was the father of the children, but in the proceedings of the contempt case against the Irish Freeman for comments on his case, in which he swore he had always been on terms of intimacy with his wife's family, and that they sympathized with him in his divorce suit. The second part of the statement is plainly untrue, while the first is as plainly untrue. Sir Evelyn Wood and O'Shea's other marriage connections always kept him at a safe distance until they had a common interest in attacking O'Shea. It is believed O'Shea has already had serious difficulties with his lawyers, whom he has probably been galling. His attorney is a young man without experience, whose only claim on O'Shea's patronage exists in the fact of his being the son of a judge, one of the Judges of the Special Commission. The Solicitor General has been engaged by O'Shea. As his fees are heavy and as O'Shea has not a cent, the question is, who supplies the money.

OR IS THE SOLICITOR GENERAL acting for nothing in the hope of raising his reward by political support should be successful? Since Clarke was fed O'Shea has changed his tactics. His original petition charged adultery against Parnell at various places since 1886. He now intends to ask the court to allow him to extend the charges back to 1880. This is a striking change. In 1880 O'Shea went over to Chamberlain on house rent and has virtually been supported since by that party as a weapon against Parnell; to begin the petition from 1880, therefore, is tantamount to a repudiation of this very shady business. Since 1886, and until the last few months Parnell has been in bad health and the charges are now to date from 1880. O'Shea is to pretend that this intrigue was going on under his nose for six years without his knowing it, and that he only discovered when he separated himself from Parnell. On the whole the case is on its face a rotten one, and when tried will probably turn out to be another painful surprise to the politicians who, having failed to ruin Parnell's public reputation, now seek to hit him through his domestic life.

PARNEILL FULL OF FIGHT. Parnell himself is full of activity and has been preparing for some time for his attack on the Government. The coming session will be one of violent storm and stress, in which the Irish party will play a large part. New facts proving a connection between the Government and the Times will be disclosed immediately on the opening of Parliament. Parnell suspects strongly that when Sir Henry James made his proposal to the Times for a settlement of the action his principals were aware of the nature of the attack.

COINCIDENT EVENTS. In reference to the report of the Parnell Commission on the forgeries question the dates of the respective events reveal a strange coincidence. On Thursday, Jan. 24, the Parnell Commission reported its findings to the House of Commons. On Friday, Jan. 25, Henry James visited Charles Russell and suggested a settlement. Up to this time both sides were prepared to fight. Parnell was utterly amazed when Russell sent word of James' proposal. It is expected that the report strongly condemns the Times on the forgeries and does not treat that matter as of secondary importance, as the Tories hoped. If so, the Irish party will demand a rigid inquiry into the history of the report from the time it left the judges' hands and the names of every one who saw it. If the report had come out while Parnell's action was proceeding and was strong on the forgeries he would have got much larger damages than he has.

The new Irish land bill which the Government proposes to introduce at the outset of the session will prove to be an ingenious measure and will be in reality a further extension of the Ashbourne act. It will not involve British tax-payers in any serious responsibilities.

SEVEN. THE SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH traveled overland to London by London, and on his Stanley triumph. To-night he is the guest of the Savage Club, where he made a great hit in the story of his travels before prominent journalists and literary men.

ANTI-ENGLISH FEELING IN PORTUGAL. LONDON, Feb. 8.—Senator J. D. Andrade Cerro, a member of the Council of State, has sent a challenge to fight a duel to Mr. Glynne Price, the British Minister, owing to his reply to the manifesto of the Portuguese Government.

THE COMMERCIAL ASSOCIATION here has expelled the English members, because they furnished a statement to the newspaper press in London, complaining of the treatment to which they were subjected. The municipal authorities of Oporto have decided to subscribe to the fund for the national defense. The English members of the social club whose house was attacked by students yesterday because the club permitted Englishmen to retain their membership, have resigned.

FRANCE. High-Pressure War Footing—The Pretend-ers' Infernal Downfall. Special Cablegram to the Post-Dispatch. PARIS, Feb. 8.—The statement on Thursday before the Budget Committee of M. Rouvier, the French Minister of Finance, regarding France's financial difficulties, in which he urged that new methods be found to increase the receipts of the government, under the adoption of a high protective tariff to raise funds to meet the continually increasing expenditures for the army and navy. France, with a national debt already far larger than the British Empire, still goes on increasing her military organization and her navy. Germany, with a population of 9,000,000 less than her neighbor, has for years past had a larger army by 25,000 men on a peace footing than Germany. By the recently passed army law, France now adds another 80,000 men to her military establishment on a peace footing. In artillery France has also been ahead of Germany. There were 461 French field batteries against Germany's 361. By a recent addition this French armament has been further increased to 480 field batteries. France has great resources in the fertile soil of her soil and in the industry, more especially of her rural population; still, her financial condition is gradually becoming one of ruin.

THE ORLÉANIST FIASCO. The Duke of Orléans was arraigned this morning charged with violating the law, and is presently passing by the government banishing both himself and his father as enemies of the Republic. The Duke said that he returned to France merely for the purpose of performing the military duties imposed by the Compté de Paris. The Duke of Orléans, son of the Compté de Paris, has excited much interest among the French residents of this city, though a cable dispatch to the WORLD says the event was received with indifference in Paris. The young man had come bearing letters to announce the abdication of the Compté de Paris to the Republic, and the abdication of his father making himself the pretender to the throne. He spent the day with the Duc de Luyne, where he was visited by the leading members of the Orléanist party. At 6:30, just as he was preparing for dinner, two armed men entered the Duke's room, and he was arrested and conveyed to the Prefecture, where, after a summary examination, he was sent to the Conciergerie.

AN EDITOR'S OPINION. Le Courrier des Etats Unis of this city, commenting editorially on the arrest, says: "One hypothesis assumes a coup d'état, and the other a revolution. But there can be no similarity between the equipment of the nephew of Napoleon the Great, who had the prestige of his name and an understanding with the army, and who entered on the scene with the suddenness of a lightning stroke, and a secret agent to the capital who enters by the back door, and who is absolutely unknown, and where the restoration of monarchy has less chance now than ever. There was an epoch when times seemed more propitious, but times have changed and the Republic has nothing to fear from a youth who enters by the back door, and who is absolutely unknown, and where the restoration of monarchy has less chance now than ever. 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## "Two Bids" for the Southwestern—North Dakota.

RESISTANCE TO REED is obedience to the Constitution.

A STATE governed by lottery is the legitimate result of political run by boodles.

THE time has come for Congress to take hold of the criminal lottery business in earnest.

LOTTERY AGENT DREXLER has not been arrested for perjury and Officer SOULLY is still on the police force.

THE only way in which Congress can keep the North Fair from becoming a political machine is by locating it in St. Louis.

RUSSIAN methods are not acceptable to the American people, neither those which prevail in Siberia nor those which prevail in the Speaker's chair.

The Legislature of North Dakota, by its action on the lottery question, is putting itself on a level with the Board of Police Commissioners of St. Louis.

The Republican party has a monopoly of the blame for the two great current inequities of politics, the lottery inequity in North Dakota and the Reed inequity in Congress.

It appears that Mr. BRICE is a resident of Ohio only for the purpose of buying a seat in the Senate. When it is a question of paying taxes in Ohio he is a resident of New York.

The French Republic should treat the exiled pretender to the throne just as the late Empire would have treated one of the exiled Republicans who had defied the decree of banishment.

GOV. FRANCIS has reserved his decision on the question of police appointments for Kansas City until next week, when he will appoint the Corrigan board as per agreement and for value received.

THE Legislature of North Dakota will brand its State as a disgraced enemy of all her sister States should both branches pass over the Governor's veto the measure granting a charter to the Louisiana State Lottery.

ALL Washington is indignant at the proposed lottery outrage in North Dakota. In St. Louis the sole expression of indignation at lottery rascality comes from the POST-DISPATCH, though here the laws punish lottery dealings.

OUR beautiful picture of "Faust and Marguerite" has met with an immense success. The companion picture for next Sunday, "Hamlet and Ophelia," is equally beautiful and will prove even more successful as an attraction.

THE St. Louis harbor is the most important on "the great inland sea." It is the outlet for the products of the West and large sections of the Southwest and Northwest. Congress has neglected this valuable commercial port long enough.

THE North Dakota lottery swindle will pay \$35,000 to the school fund of North Dakota and will educate the youth to be confirmed gamblers. But this is better than to have the youth taught gambling and not have a cent paid into the school or any other public fund, as here in St. Louis.

Why should the witness against the only boodler in St. Louis who was indicted be singled out for investigation on a charge of evading the payment of water license? Is the House of Delegates so desperately anxious to discourage the giving of information about boodling to the Grand-jury?

ON the principle that imitation is the sincerest flattery, the POST-DISPATCH has recently had reason to feel sincerely flattered. But the imitation of its plan of giving a picture to its want advertisers, undertaken by an owl and blundering morning paper was so complete a failure that it failed to imitate.

THE liberal offer of Mr. CANNON to give \$1,000,000 for the erection of free libraries in Pittsburgh has an unpleasant significance in view of the recent strike of his employees. Munificent liberality is a fine thing, but it is not so fine as justice. It is poor charity which expends millions in educational monuments, which are wrung from taxes levied upon the people and the labor of ungrateful employees.

THAT Samoan treaty has been heralded as a triumph of American diplomacy. WM. WALTER PHILLIPS has been rewarded for making it, and the Republicans in the Senate are determined to stand by the opinion that it is a triumph. They even refused to adopt a resolution declaring that the Senate holds the right of the United States to the harbor of Pago-Pago to be unimpaired, although Senator EDMUNDS declared such a resolution to be desirable. And whether it does or not the Senate insists that it is all it should be.

THE offer of the SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH to give away a beautiful picture with each want advertisement was promptly copied by a newspaper which has not had an original idea of its own since it changed owners, but when it came to give away the pictures the poor old imitation had not a picture to give away. The place for imitators is always in the rear of the procession, but we did not expect that even this stupid imitator would really rush in with promises that it had no

## THE QUESTION BEFORE CONGRESS.

From the First to the Fifty-first Congress it has been the recognized right of any member of either house, by simply calling attention to the fact that the years and days footed up less than a majority of the whole membership, to prevent a minority from usurping and exercising the majority's legislative power.

That was the sole purpose and effect of the quorum rule which has prevailed for a hundred years. It has sometimes caused delay in the passage of a bill by compelling the supporters of the same to bring out and poll their full vote. It has also prevented the passage of a great many bad bills which could not command a majority. But it never has prevented the passage of any bill favored by a majority of the whole, and the sole purpose and effect of its abrogation is to enable parties to take advantage of slim attendance and pass bills with less than a majority.

Should this conservative rule, which has so long operated as a check upon vicious minority legislation, and has been enforced only too seldom and too fitfully, be now abolished? In other words, have both houses of all former Congresses been wrong in their interpretation of the constitutional quorum provision and in holding that the public welfare required a rule which any member could enforce at any time to prevent any party from passing bills by a minority vote?

If all former Congresses have erred in this matter, then not only the present House but the Senate also should adopt the proposed new rule authorizing the Speaker to declare a bill passed by counting those who do not vote as part of the quorum. But the fact that all parties in Congress, whether minorities or majorities, have, up to this time, opposed this change as unconstitutional and dangerous, is a very strong testimony against it. The fact that the party leaders now insisting on this change were all against it until a particular situation and a plainly apparent party exigency wrought a sudden change in their views, is a still stronger testimony against it. And still more conclusive is the fact that bitter experience of minority legislation has caused the insertion of provisions in a number of new State Constitutions, requiring a yeas majority of all members elected in each house to pass any bill.

The burden of showing a cause greater than a temporary party purpose is on those who attempt in such an important matter to set aside the authority of all the statesmen who have preceded them. They will find it impossible to refute their own former arguments against the proposed change, and out of their own mouths their condemnation will come when the question is submitted to the people.

THE LOCAL REAL ESTATE BOOM.

The article in to-day's SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH under the caption, "Real Estate Values," will prove of the deepest interest to every citizen of St. Louis, and especially to every owner of St. Louis property.

The information set forth in the article is of value to owners, agents and investors, because it gives the exact figures showing the recent increase in the values of real estate. The differences in the prices of real estate in different localities of the city are carefully detailed and will astonish our readers. The increase of values is remarkable and testifies to a substantial growth and a wholesome stimulation of prices through investment and improvement, which cannot fail to gratify St. Louisans.

The POST-DISPATCH is particularly gratified at the showing because in a large measure it represents the active efforts of the POST-DISPATCH and the efforts of the real estate agents through the POST-DISPATCH's advertising columns to promote the real estate business and the improvement of real property. The boom, for it must be called in the best sense of the word a boom, in real estate commenced when the real estate men began their extensive advertising of properties in the POST-DISPATCH and the POST-DISPATCH in return gave the business proper encouragement. The greatest period of increase in St. Louis property values opened at that time.

The results described in to-day's article demonstrate that the real estate men knew whereof they spoke when they so highly commended the work of the POST-DISPATCH at the close of last year. But the work of the real estate men themselves has been of the most energetic and winning kind. Things are bound to hum when enterprising business men work through an enterprising paper.

POLYGAMEY is a crime under the laws of every State in the Union, but it is a new thing in free government to make a theoretical belief in the virtue of polygamy unattested by any act a crime. Yet this is what the Idaho test oath framed to disfranchise the Mormons does. It establishes an inquisition into the opinions of citizens and punishes those who hold forbidden opinions, although they may be innocent of any criminal act. Is not this a dangerous precedent for the Federal Supreme Court to sustain? If citizens may be disfranchised for merely holding religious opinions which sanction crime, why not political opinions or any kind of opinions which may be twisted into a condemnation of wrong-doing? Zeal against the Mormons should not lead

## to the overthrow of safe and sound principles of free government.

THE Senate ratified the Berlin treaty with reference to Samoa by a vote of 38 to 13, in spite of Senator EDMUNDS' contention that it surrendered Pagopago harbor. Besides the twelve Democrats who voted against ratification there were seven Republicans who remained silent or were absent. Senator EDMUNDS then offered a resolution that in the opinion of the Senate the treaty does not surrender our right to Pagopago, but the Senate tabled the resolution. This looks as if the Senate did not care a cent for Pagopago or for Senator EDMUNDS either.

EDWARD BELMONT has been accused of stealing the material of his now famous book, "Looking Backward," from a half dozen sources. But those who accuse Mr. BELMONT of the literary crime of plagiarism should remember that in his ideal state of society there is no distinction between man and man and everybody has a right to what he needs or wants. From his own standpoint Mr. BELMONT is not guilty.

The proposition now before the Wyoming Legislature to levy an annual tax on every babe or over 35 years of age an ill disguised scheme ostensibly in the interest of revenue, but really in the interest of matrimony. That's what comes of woman's suffrage, which is on top in Wyoming. Give the women votes and they'll insist on having voters.

DEAR SILCOTT: Come back at once. I'll run the House and you draw the salaries and we can get along without the other fellows.

HARPER'S WEEKLY has an article on "A Woman's Great Feat." It will not popularize the paper in Chicago, however, as it refers to Katie Big.

The administration should send a letter of condolence to the little French Duke of Orleans for his failure to set up a monarchy in France.

EX-KING MILAN of Serbia has lost 30,000 francs gambling at Monte Carlo. It was probably a case in which a pair of knaves beat a king full.

"I CARE not who goes around the world so I get my fingers around the World's Fair boodle."—TOM FLATT.

THE "to let" sign has been taken off the ground hog's hole; the name of the new tenant is Chicago.

THE Sunday Jones attempted to give away a picture, but gave himself away instead.

"MR. TOOT" FLATT has become "Only Me" FLATT.

MR. F. L. MARSHALL, representing the POST-DISPATCH on "Change," will be on the floor during business hours and will call on merchants who desire to make use of the POST-DISPATCH market reports. Telephone 284.

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

CONSTANT READER.—Buy a copy of the World Almanac for 35 cents; it will answer a million questions.

There is no premium on a half-dollar of 1829.

CO. H. SUBSCRIBER.—A dime of 1874 has no premium value.

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# PATRONIZE THE DELICATESSEN.

CITY NEWS.

**Do You Want to See Business?** Do you want to see business? Do you want to see everybody you know and several thousand you don't know? Do you want to realize what is really meant by a first-class, genuine, bona fide "Monday rush"? Then come to Crawford's to-morrow, to the only store in the city that is cosmopolitan enough to be busy and do business whether the weather is good or bad, whether "times" are slow or fast. The secret lies in the prices of goods and the "git-up-and-git" that finds the goods to sell at the prices.

**Dr. E. C. Chase,** Corner of 9th & Olive streets. Set of teeth, 25. Private matters skillfully treated and medicines furnished. Dr. Disabeer, 615 Pine st.

**POOL ALLEY SKINNED.** The Bookmakers Lose \$15,000 Because the Outsiders Had Straight Tips.

Pool Alley wore the myth yesterday afternoon and the bookmakers were plunged into the slough of despond. Pool Alley was hit harder than it has been for a long time, and the outsiders walked away with between \$15,000 and \$15,000, which before the races had belonged to the bookmakers. It has been some time since the alley was hit as hard as it was yesterday, and it will probably be a long time before it is hit so hard again. The players caught the booze this time and left the bookmakers to weep for their losses. Six races were run at Guttenberg and four at New Orleans, making ten in all. Out of these ten the bookmakers won on one and the outsiders were winners on nine.

Just how the tip came out no one knows but it is charged to Dan Hollis, at least so far as Guttenberg is concerned. Early in the afternoon the tip came out, and the outsiders for Guttenberg and three for New Orleans. Those given for Guttenberg were Ferial B. Lomas, Vendetta Golden, East and Pearl. The New Orleans winners named were Lida L., Col. Cox and Kent, with Churchill Clark coming a late tip. Churchill Clark's tip came so late that the bookmakers would not take any bets on him after the tip arrived, but they did not win, because the outsiders were playing tips yesterday and having none on him they lost him out.

Out of the Guttenberg tips only one lost, and that was Pearl. The outsiders won on the three early New Orleans tips won, too. The bookmakers were caught on this because they did not get on the tip until it was too late to protect themselves. They saw that crowd was excited. They were standing in crowds around the track, and every man had his money in his hand and was trying to get it into the books as soon as possible. They would not bet on any of the horses but the ones named above, and though this was suspicious the bookmakers did not see the cause. They found out what happened, however, when the reports brought in one winner after another and they found that they were losers on every one.

One of the bookmakers said last night: "In our office we found that we had lost on every book, and lost heavily. We run one large book, and that book lost \$15,000. The other lost from \$100 to \$200 each. Every room in the alley was caught for between \$2,000 and \$3,000, and not one escaped. We think Dan Hollis is responsible for this, and that he is working Guttenberg from both ends. Just how the tip got out, though, is something that puzzles us. We would have lost more heavily if the Churchill Clark tip had come earlier, but it came in just as the dispatch that the horses were off came, and we accepted no bets. Of course the bookmakers get caught in a bunch every now and then, but just how the scheme was worked we know. There is one other thing that has looked peculiar. St. Louis men are the best pickers of horses in the country, but they have never done as they have during the last two days. They have been picking book combinations that have made \$100,000 and that from that down. There is something strange about it that I cannot understand. It is this much, that the alley was caught for about \$15,000 to-day, and by outsiders, too.

**SPRING OVERCOATS.** Our own make and in great variety. Prices range from \$12 to \$35. See this assortment of spring overcoats before buying.

**MILLS & AVERILL.** S. E. Cor. Broadway and Pine. THE CAPTIVE CHILD.

Positive Proof That She is a Half-Breed. Published by "The World."

By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.

**NEW YORK, Feb. 8.**—The World this morning publishes a page account of the adventures of a reporter who has just returned from the wilds of the great Northwest Territory. He was sent out by the newspaper with guides and ransom money to secure the return of a girl who it was reported, was held a captive by the Blackfeet Indians. It was said that the girl had been seized in a hostile raid into the United States territory and that her father, an American officer, had been killed by the Indians. A member of the world staff, accompanied by a young man conversant with the Indian country, was promptly dispatched to the scene. Instructions to secure the girl at any cost and bring her to New York, providing, of course, that she was ascertained to be a half-breed. The world man returns yesterday, bringing proof that the little one's mother is Pretoria, who is the square of a buck named Dog Child. The latter claims to be her father, but about the time she was born Pretoria's name was changed to that of a white man employed at one of the trading posts near by. The Indian name by which the little girl is known, which means in English Spotted Girl. She was born among the Black Feet, in the camp of Chief Wessie Gail on Cow River, before her father was a few weeks before he was killed. The girl was a part of his duty then, as now, to keep track of all the tribes in order to supply the payment of treaty money. Father Donet, a French missionary, saw the child and his mother, when the former was but a few days old, and baptized her, calling her Mary. This sets at rest the story of the captive child and clearly shows that she is a half-breed, although her skin is as white as any American and she is exceedingly pretty.

**Foiled by an Old Game.** John H. Hulbert of Little Rock, Ark., while on his way to Mansfield, Ky., was foiled on Sunday of \$3. He was seated in the smoker of the Louisville Air Line when a man, who had previously learned where he was going and had struck up a conversation with him, borrowed \$3 from him to pay charges on some freight he was shipping to Mansfield. After securing the money Mr. Hulbert's friendly companion, of course, neglected to return the money and he was reported to the police.

**An Engine Horse Escapes.** While engine company No. 24 was responding to an alarm of fire at 11:35 Friday night from the Levee and Clark avenue collar on one of the engine horses broke open, setting the engine on fire. In order to stop an accident occurred at Eleventh and Spruce and the horse escaped and has not since been seen. He is a very fine horse and has a high white blaze face and was the most valuable animal in the house. His escape prevented the company from responding to the alarm, they having to take the engine back to the engine-house.

**Phi Delta Theta Meeting.** A meeting of local Phi Delta Theta chapter, held at the Levee last night devoted to a banquet during the last of the winter and next month, and selected J. W. Clark and C. F. Clark as delegates for the event.

## AMONG THE MISSOURIANS

MATTERS OF INTEREST GATHERED FROM VARIOUS PARTS OF THE STATE.

**Geo. W. Lubke as a Congressional Candidate in the Eighth District.**—Men Who Want to Be Supreme Judges—A Live Democratic Campaign in Southeast Missouri—Gossip and Personalities.

**JUDGE GEORGE W. LUBKE** is named for Congress in the Eighth District. Judge Lubke was born in St. Louis in 1846, and educated chiefly in the public schools. He was admitted to the bar in 1864. He was elected Judge of the Circuit Court in 1880, and re-elected in 1884 without opposition, but defeated as were all the Democrats on the ticket that year in this city.

A meeting of the State League of Republican Clubs will be held at Kansas City on the 15th inst. All the republican clubs in the State will be represented.

Assistant State Veterinary Surgeon White found a bad case of glanders in Wright County during his recent visit to South Missouri looking after the disease.

Dr. Hattler of Cole County, charged with killing an Indian in the Indian Territory twenty years ago, was admitted to bail at Fort Smith in the sum of \$5,000.

Those who say they are candidates for Judge of the Supreme Court are Thomas Jefferson, Grant of Henry, Blackford of Andalus, Burgess of Kansas and Stratton of Nevada.

Wm. A. Mitchell of the Cape Girardeau News died of consumption. For four weeks before his death he was confined to his bed. He leaves a widow and one child, and was 29 years old.

John W. Stokes of Holt County is the last to announce himself for Railroad Commissioner. Mr. Stokes claims to be the only candidate from Northwest Missouri looking for a position on the State ticket.

Edward W. Turner, Representative from Clinton County, announces himself in favor of the present Governor, Governor 1887, and for Dr. J. W. Ellis of Platteburg for State Superintendent of Schools in 1890.

Ex-Congressman M. R. Glady of Delaware, purchased "Sam Jones," a 4-year-old trotting stallion, by Aaron Pennington, out of the State of Missouri, for \$10,000. It is a full brother to Gipsy Girl, 2:15, also Lulu.

J. W. Rutherford of Randolph County has a son who will be 15 years old the 3d of next March, who has the means to \$10,000. His avocation is said not to be due to excessive fat, but to a congenital defect.

John E. Catlett is the new postmaster at Hannibal. Wm. Lansdown received the office in Louisiana instead of W. J. Dougherty, who at first seemed to have a sure thing of it. Charles F. Ernst is the postmaster appointed at De Soto, which is still filled by one of Cleveland's appointees. He is expecting deputation every day.

Judge Thomas Holliday, ex-State Auditor, is again at his home at Fredericktown. He may engage in business with his brother at Williamsburg in Wayne County. He would not decline a nomination for Congress in the Fourteenth District.

The farmers of Callaway County have established a \$10,000 mill at Fulton. They have also built a mill at Moberly, and this mill is already bringing four away down. The Montgomery County farmers are talking of a mill at Montgomery City.

The Kansas City Times, the Brookfield Argus, the Mayville Register and the Enterprise-Visitor are the only Democratic newspapers in the State opposed to the re-election of Senator Vest. The Argus and Register are published in Republican counties, and the E. V. is a Wheeler organ.

The German Baron who, a few months ago, married Fannie Baylis, the eldest daughter of John H. Baylis, a former resident of Lexington, deserted her at the Park Avenue Hotel in New York City. He was subsequently arrested for his bad behavior.

The editor of the Richmond Conservator in receipt of a letter from Col. J. T. Childs, commanding the 1st Regt. of Cavalry, at Fort in Col. Childs says he is anxious to throw up his position and return to his old home in Missouri as a private soldier.

St. Joseph Herald: Corruption in municipal councils appears to be epidemic. It prevails in almost every city in the land. The people are tired of the present state of affairs, and against every man for the council who is not known to be thoroughly honest.

Monroe Appeal: The office of railroad commissioner and the State Board of Health should both be abolished. The railroad commissioners are in all cases of weakness, neuritis (relaxing and other forms), muscular and articular rheumatism, malarial dyspepsia and in all diseases of the stomach, bowels and the nervous system.

Adolphus Musser of Platteburg, who attempted to kill himself at Asylum No. 2, is improving. He says he would rather be dead than confined in the asylum and he is content with his present position. He is now at home with his family.

The Union Labor Party, the Farmers' Alliance and the Farmers' Union, although invited, did not show up at the Temperance convention held at Fulton last night. The convention was poorly attended and high license.

Col. John Mason Brown, who died recently, was a brother of the late B. Gratz Brown, Governor of Missouri. He was born in New York, in 1837, and married a daughter of Wm. Preston. He was a Colonel in the Union army, and a practicing attorney at Louisville.

The Huntsville Herald speaks of the qualifications of F. Wolf for the position of Superintendent of Public Schools. He is 52, a native of St. Louis County, to pay a proportion of the cost of building and repairing a bridge between the two counties and used in common.

An over-zealous and would-be careful juror at Jackson County, without the assent of the jury, ordered the execution of a man, the accident occurred for which damages were asked of the railroad, and afterwards sentenced the man to the State Prison for life. The man was executed. This was made the resort of a man.

The Ballwin Review favors the nomination of James H. Mackburn for the State Senate in the Twentieth Senatorial District. He has been in the Senate for several years with the Union, the support of his views, his energy and earnestness.

## THE REASON WHY BRANDT'S HUMPHREY'S. Is the Mecca of BARGAIN SEEKERS in SHOES

Is the well-known fact that when we advertise goods at OUT PRICES it means Bargains, and plenty of them, and the kind the public appreciate. Our Surplus Stock is still quite large, but somewhat broken in sizes; what we have are splendid goods for a VERY SMALL AMOUNT OF CASH.

**AGENTS' SHOES.** Our Entire Stock of French and American Calf CORK SOLE SHOES, Reduced to \$4.50, \$3.50 and \$2.50. Nettleton's Seven-Dollar Shoes for \$4.50. Turner's Six-Dollar Shoes for \$4.00. Burt's Five-Dollar Shoes for \$3.50. Best Four-Dollar Shoes for \$3.00. Best Three-Dollar Shoes for \$2.00. Best Two-Dollar Shoes for \$1.50.

**Our Bargains in Ladies' Footwear** are the best goods ever offered at cut prices. You will find a printed list of Reduced Goods in each department.

**J. G. BRANDT, BROADWAY and LUCAS AVENUE.** Open Every Saturday Night Until 10:30.

with his wide acquaintance, mark him as the man for the race and for the place. Judge Field of the Circuit Court at Kansas City rendered a decision in the case of a negro, who sued the proprietor of a saloon because he was not permitted to occupy a seat in the dress circle. Judge Field held that a theater was a place of public amusement, and that the proprietor had the right to refuse admission to any or all persons to any or all parts of the house.

An act passed by the last Legislature provided for a Jury Commissioner in Jackson County for re-election this year and if he succeeds, will be a candidate for Speaker of the house.

Wm. A. Mitchell of the Cape Girardeau News died of consumption. For four weeks before his death he was confined to his bed. He leaves a widow and one child, and was 29 years old.

John W. Stokes of Holt County is the last to announce himself for Railroad Commissioner. Mr. Stokes claims to be the only candidate from Northwest Missouri looking for a position on the State ticket.

Edward W. Turner, Representative from Clinton County, announces himself in favor of the present Governor, Governor 1887, and for Dr. J. W. Ellis of Platteburg for State Superintendent of Schools in 1890.

Ex-Congressman M. R. Glady of Delaware, purchased "Sam Jones," a 4-year-old trotting stallion, by Aaron Pennington, out of the State of Missouri, for \$10,000. It is a full brother to Gipsy Girl, 2:15, also Lulu.

J. W. Rutherford of Randolph County has a son who will be 15 years old the 3d of next March, who has the means to \$10,000. His avocation is said not to be due to excessive fat, but to a congenital defect.

John E. Catlett is the new postmaster at Hannibal. Wm. Lansdown received the office in Louisiana instead of W. J. Dougherty, who at first seemed to have a sure thing of it. Charles F. Ernst is the postmaster appointed at De Soto, which is still filled by one of Cleveland's appointees. He is expecting deputation every day.

Judge Thomas Holliday, ex-State Auditor, is again at his home at Fredericktown. He may engage in business with his brother at Williamsburg in Wayne County. He would not decline a nomination for Congress in the Fourteenth District.

The farmers of Callaway County have established a \$10,000 mill at Fulton. They have also built a mill at Moberly, and this mill is already bringing four away down. The Montgomery County farmers are talking of a mill at Montgomery City.

The Kansas City Times, the Brookfield Argus, the Mayville Register and the Enterprise-Visitor are the only Democratic newspapers in the State opposed to the re-election of Senator Vest. The Argus and Register are published in Republican counties, and the E. V. is a Wheeler organ.

The German Baron who, a few months ago, married Fannie Baylis, the eldest daughter of John H. Baylis, a former resident of Lexington, deserted her at the Park Avenue Hotel in New York City. He was subsequently arrested for his bad behavior.

The editor of the Richmond Conservator in receipt of a letter from Col. J. T. Childs, commanding the 1st Regt. of Cavalry, at Fort in Col. Childs says he is anxious to throw up his position and return to his old home in Missouri as a private soldier.

St. Joseph Herald: Corruption in municipal councils appears to be epidemic. It prevails in almost every city in the land. The people are tired of the present state of affairs, and against every man for the council who is not known to be thoroughly honest.

Monroe Appeal: The office of railroad commissioner and the State Board of Health should both be abolished. The railroad commissioners are in all cases of weakness, neuritis (relaxing and other forms), muscular and articular rheumatism, malarial dyspepsia and in all diseases of the stomach, bowels and the nervous system.

Adolphus Musser of Platteburg, who attempted to kill himself at Asylum No. 2, is improving. He says he would rather be dead than confined in the asylum and he is content with his present position. He is now at home with his family.

The Union Labor Party, the Farmers' Alliance and the Farmers' Union, although invited, did not show up at the Temperance convention held at Fulton last night. The convention was poorly attended and high license.

Col. John Mason Brown, who died recently, was a brother of the late B. Gratz Brown, Governor of Missouri. He was born in New York, in 1837, and married a daughter of Wm. Preston. He was a Colonel in the Union army, and a practicing attorney at Louisville.

The Huntsville Herald speaks of the qualifications of F. Wolf for the position of Superintendent of Public Schools. He is 52, a native of St. Louis County, to pay a proportion of the cost of building and repairing a bridge between the two counties and used in common.

An over-zealous and would-be careful juror at Jackson County, without the assent of the jury, ordered the execution of a man, the accident occurred for which damages were asked of the railroad, and afterwards sentenced the man to the State Prison for life. The man was executed. This was made the resort of a man.

The Ballwin Review favors the nomination of James H. Mackburn for the State Senate in the Twentieth Senatorial District. He has been in the Senate for several years with the Union, the support of his views, his energy and earnestness.

## SALVATION OF THEIR SEX

THE OBJECT OF EIGHTEEN YOUNG WOMEN WHO GAVE UP THE WORLD YESTERDAY.

A Large Reception at the Convent of the Good Shepherd—Fourteen Ladies Received the Habit and Four Novices Made Their Final Vow—The Names Which the Sisters Will Be Known in Religion.

The Convent of the Good Shepherd yesterday afternoon there was a large reception and four Sisters made their final profession. The ceremony was beautiful and impressive ceremony took place in the chapel and was performed by Rev. G. W. Wernberg, S. J.

The ceremony has been so often described as to make repetition unnecessary. It was witnessed by a large congregation of the friends of the institution. Rev. W. S. Bond, C. S. S. R., of St. Alphonsus Church, preached the sermon. He is one of the most eloquent of the Redemptorist preachers, and the occasion furnished him an opportunity for a fine effort. He spoke in a most feeling way of the great sacrifice which was being made by those who had given up their lives to the service of the "Good Shepherd," and of the great reward which would be theirs in the world to come for their devotion to this work of reclaiming lost women in this.

The number of Sisters who received the habit of the order was fourteen, and their names in the world and those by which they will be known in religion are as follows: Miss Mary Murphy of New York; in religion, Sister Mary of Louis.

Miss Bridget Moriarty of St. Louis; in religion, Sister Mary of St. Aidan.

Miss Amelia A. Morrell, Montreal, Canada; in religion, Sister Mary of the Angels.

Miss Miriam Beverly, India; in religion, Sister Mary of the Holy Spirit.

Miss Mary E. J. Robertson, Toronto, Canada; in religion, Sister Mary of St. Gerald.

Miss Mary Greeley, Philadelphia, Pa.; in religion, Sister Mary of St. Andrew of Babylon.

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Men's Best American Calf Lace and Congress, hand-sewed, single sole, Mackay sewed. Reduced from \$4.50 to \$3.50.

Misses' American Kid Spring-heel Button, sizes 11 to 2. Reduced from \$2.00 to \$1.50.

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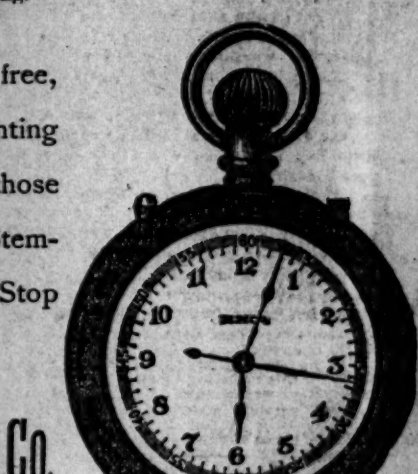
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Ladies' Best Glazed Dongola Kid Button, opera toe, hand turns. Reduced from \$5.50 to \$4.50.

Ladies' Best Straight Goat Foxed, kangaroo top, button, cork sole. Reduced from \$5.00 to \$4.00.

Ladies' Best Straight Goat Foxed, kangaroo top, button, hand-sewed welts, opera and common-sense. Reduced from \$5.00 to \$4.00.

Ladies' Best Straight Goat Button, double sole, opera and common-sense. Reduced from \$4.00 to \$3.00.

Ladies' Undressed Kid Ties (all desirable colors), Louis Quinze heels. Reduced from \$5.00 to \$3.50.

Ladies' Undressed Kid One-Strap Slippers, tan color. Reduced from \$4.00 to \$3.50.

Ladies' Patent Leather Oxford Ties, opera toe. Reduced from \$4.00 to \$3.00.

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Ladies' Patent Leather Vamp, black or tan quarter, Oxford ties. Reduced from \$4.00 to \$3.00.

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- Chamberlain park, 876 feet on Maple av.; best lot.
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- Cass av., n. e. cor. 25th, 30x130.
- Delmar av., n. e. cor. of Pendleton, 100x150.
- Delmar av., n. e., 100 ft. east of Vandewater av., 84x150.
- Delmar av., s. e., west of old narrow-gauge track, 100x150.
- Delmar av., n. e., 200 feet east of Taylor, 250x150.
- Easton av., s. e. cor. of Grand av., 100x139. This is one of the finest corners in Western St. Louis for improving with stores and flats. Non-resident owner wishes to sell at once.
- Evans av., s. e., west of Taylor, 500x153. Kansas City owner wishes to sell.
- Easton av., s. e. cor. of Hamilton, 50x200.
- Kneel av., s. e. cor. of Hamilton, 213x162.
- Evans av., s. e., 100 feet east of Newstead, 100x139.
- Forest Park boulevard, n. e., 200 feet west of Boyle, 140x157.
- Finney av., n. w. cor. Pendleton, 45x152.
- Fountain av., n. w. cor. of Lay, 120x154.
- Grand av., s. e. cor. of Easton, 100x139.
- Grand av., s. e. cor. of Park, 230x200.
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- Oliver st., n. e., east of Pendleton, 100x165; good place for flats.
- Pace av., n. e., west of Taylor, top of hill, 100x165, with a number of large trees on the lot.

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A large lot of lots from Vandewater to the park, both sides of the street and some valuable corners. Two fine corners for improvement or speculation on Sarah, the northwest and the southwest. The finest building lot on Pine, between Taylor and Lay, in rear of Mrs. Morrison's Lindell avenue site. A large number of splendid front trees on this lot. The price is low for a short time.

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- Taylor av., n. w. cor. Cottage, 100x135.
- Virginia av., n. e., near Chipmunk, 100x135.

### Windsor Place.

Southside, east of Vandewater av., through to Belt st., 17x110.
- Westminster place, n. e., west of Taylor, 100x150.
- Washington av., n. e., on McPherson Hill, 50x250.
- McPherson av., n. e., west of Warren, 75x150.
- McPherson av., n. e., west of Sarah, 160x170.

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\$125 A foot will buy a choice lot in Vandewater Place, 50x143 ft. Apply to Taffie & Gay, 710 Chestnut st.

**A GOOD CORNER.**  
Chestnut and Jefferson av.; southeast corner; lot 80x75.

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### FOR SALE.

**MANUFACTURING SITES**  
Along the line of the St. Louis, Oak Hill & Carondelet Railroad and the Missouri Pacific and St. Louis & Iron Mountain Railroad. Apply to  
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**Westminster Place!**

27x150 North side,  
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Sign board on property.  
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## KIRKWOOD HOTEL

**FOR SALE.**  
The Kirkwood Hotel is a four-story detached brick building, of about fifty rooms, located near the depot on the line of the Rock Island.  
The block of ground on which it stands, from 152 feet on Vandewater avenue to 100 feet on Hudson avenue, and is well improved with shade trees.  
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## CLOSE OF A BUSY WEEK.

Ground on Washington Avenue, Near Taylor, sold at \$70 a foot—Prices Greatly Increasing in the East—Evidence Sections—A Brick Demand in All Quarters—Agents' Schedules—Building Associations.

## REAL ESTATE SALES MADE

during the past week, they had all been finally closed and the deeds filed for record, would make a much better showing than the transfers published in the meantime. Since last Sunday 100 deeds have been handed in to the recorder representing sales amounting to \$230,352. This is quite a falling off from the totals of the previous week as they appear from the official list of sales, but the agents have been doing remarkably well, nevertheless, and the results of their work will be seen a little later after papers have been executed and delivered to purchasers. Several heavy sales of unimproved residence property have been effected to parties who have bought on speculation.

## IN THE TOWER GROVE DISTRICT

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**The Old Lady Continues to Nar-  
rate Her Experiences Before  
and After Her Return.**

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CHAPTER VII.

"What do you see?" said Mrs. Malstrom, looking at the man who had been sitting upon his heel, and took no notice.

"Nothing," said she. "I have been used all my life to the anathema of poultry, but such a thing as this I've never before experienced."

"My dear Mrs. Partington," said Mr. Trim, "after you have concluded your dinner I will show you the feathers."

"I have seen them," said she, "and sweet and tender as they are, I have not enjoyed it, but that bone was a mystery that she could not fathom. A three-cornered bone, she said, and I am sure that the carpenter who put it there went out with Mr. Trimble to view the remains of the strange bird, and there, halted to a moment, like an owl, and then, as if he had been looking at a bird in the same way as I am looking at you, he turned away and left me."

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GLOBE, 765 to 783 Franklin av.  
RAILROAD RATES.

**Change on Nails to Texas Points—Fast Freight Lines.**

The St. Louis, Arkansas & Texas Railway issued Supplement No. 8 to Joint Through tariff No. 409, applying from St. Louis, Cairo and Memphis to Houston, Galveston, Dallas, El Paso, coal, straight or mixed with millfeed, millstuffs, grits, hominy and bran, cents, effective February 15; grain, bran, shorts and millfeed, straight or mixed, 46 cents per car, effective February 15.

From St. Louis to Houston, Galveston, Arkansas & Texas, The International & Great Northern, is to be made 21 cents.

The Commercial Express Line East Bound will be in effect, as follows:

St. Louis to New Orleans, Louisiana, to be amended by a number of circulars changing rates.

The Southwest Dispatch Fast Freight Train No. 1, for cotton, lumber, grain and flour is in effect, as follows:

New Orleans, Louisiana, New York and New England, operating over forty-two roads.

W. H. H. Granger, agent for St. Louis, Kansas City, Chicago and Toledo, St. Louis is now operates over the Toledo, St. Louis & Kansas City Railroad, and is comparatively a new line. The tariff is pointed at thirty cents, freight is added, amounting to thirty cents. Later is dated a notice quoting Bridgeport (Conn.) rates via New York, Boston and New England, and some as Boston all rail, the arbitraries decrease being for the steamers.

The Washed Railroad, and the Toledo, St.

ment me from seeking a re-election but will see me to land in my resignation as soon as possible. The contest for my seat is decided." Mr. Egan is now serving his second term in Congress and his majority in the last election over J. B. Eaton was in excess of 5,000.

**Woman Suffrage.**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8.—Elizabeth Cady Stanton and Susan B. Anthony to day addressed the Select Committee of the Senate on Woman Suffrage in favor of extending the right of suffrage to women. Senators Vance, Blair, and Fairwell were the members of the committee. The speakers were heard and applauded by a large group of women and a few men.

## Special Correspondence of SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH.

THE HOLY RULES OF FAITH  
thee reſtrengthened ſhine, and all the  
world knows Chriſt as Golden Author mine."

ge copy with painted initials. Here's the line "Petrarch" and the Aiding "Martini" 180  
180, the third and fifth books over painted 210  
initials again. 220

Special Correspondence of SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH.  
LONDON, Jan. 22.



**"ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS" RICH IN INFORMATION.**

[Written for the SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH.]

He is a self-made young man, who is not afraid to appear before any audience in a pair of high top rubber boots which he has used all day to wash bugles in, and light the footlights amid thunders of applause. We had one of these gentlemen the other night. He brought nine others to help him. I think that the most of them sleep on the stage nights. They were playing "old sledge" behind the drop curtain when we came.



"You Have Went Back on Me."

He was the tiredest young man for one who has just in the fluff and bloom and heyday of life that I ever saw. He had a very retreating chin. Otherwise he would not have had the strength of purpose to split over it. His forehead also asked to be excused and went back into his hair in search of ideas and one thing and another, I judge.

He knew a man who had a good deal of money and a beard that he could pass in the middle like a sky-terrier. With these rare traits of mind and heart he married a sweet young girl and got a reading notice of forty columns in the *Illustrated*. The next morning this was afterwards used in thin strips of double leading the editor's. He was nervous, badly, until he had obtained the confidence of the man who was blushing this confidence one Saturday evening, he parted with his parted whiskers, and in the morning, as a dignified man who had been known to smile, wrote his name on the register at Montreal. "Many Citizens," he wrote, "are proud to have a *Journal* 'Popul', 'Tax Payer,' a well-eyeged grass-pond and two little dignified cubs with pom-pom-dor hair wapt and would not be com-

the above mentioned reductions could be made this, say you use field grasses with dried corn on top and pressed autumn leaves instead of the orchids, you can save \$7,000 to \$8,000. Or if you want to trim your hall with festoons of seed corn and daisies instead of palms, you may cut down a bill \$5,000 or \$3,500.

Again, you might cheapen the floral offerings to the ladies by using paper flowers, or substituting the ball until golden rod

**A TRIP ACROSS RUSSIA ON THE NEW TRANS-CASPIAN RAILWAY.**

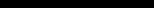
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ers encountered in former days have all been removed since the iron threads of a railway are strung across these barren deserts. With one mighty stroke the embankment has been



Moscow is the real principal city of the Russian Empire. The Czar is only the ruler of all the Russians after he has been crowned at Moscow. The foreign element is predominant in the ancient city of the Czars with its world-famous landmark, the Kremlin, but in Nischny-Nowgorod (Moscow) it rules abso-

THE GREATEST FAIR  
of the world is held here from the 15th of  
July to the 6th of September, and the goods  
which are sold at this fair are actually on  
hand, not sold by samples. One can imagine



Kama is the largest tributary of this giant stream, and its waters carry the boats up to



*Caucasian Pistol and Pistol Pocket.*

Perm, the thoroughfare of Siberia. This influx increases the breadth of the Volga so greatly that her shores are

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... of Bolgari, the seat of a Bulgarian tribe in the tenth century; then by the thrifty towns of Samara and Saratow, which later place themselves the center for more than 100 German colonies strung along the borders of the

ENGLAND'S GREAT ANNUAL EVENT, PARLIAMENT'S OPENING DAY.

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mons. For the fifth session of the Thirteenth Parliament of Queen Victoria begins on Tuesday, February 11, at 2 p.m. The choice of this day

Tuesday or Thursday, however, it is only the commoners who regard the summons of the party leader as an imperative call to the

attempts to detain any such persons in the Chamber of Peers. The law itself, by the fair sex of the aristocracy, precincts of hereditary legislation would, of course, be impossible under any circumstances in the other chamber, where on all occasions the senatorial benches are sacred to the elect.

At one time it was thought the Queen would open Parliament in person, thus resuming the honors she bestowed upon Lord Salisbury's Government in 1888. Her Majesty evinced her

Lord Chancellor Salisbury.

with the sumptuous dignity of the surroundings. Amidst an almost audible tirade from irreverent Radicals, the royal commission is read by the clerk, each noble lord sitting on the bench in front of the throne rises, with an uncovered head making a low inclination as the name is pronounced. Then the noble lords, in their common-place and sometimes unparliamentary sentences of

years past. Of these hardy annuals, which never fail to blossom afresh every February, Woman's Suffrage (Mr. Woodard); Sunday

matter, contrary to  
OLD ESTABLISHED USAGE:

Speaker Peel, who, on Tuesday again enters on an ordeal which to pass unscathed requires the strength of a giant and the sweetness of a seraph, is the youngest son of the statesman who abolished the Corn Laws. Just turned 60, he has been a member of four Parliaments, held office in two Ministries, and was as in the Speaker's chair for six seasons. Mr. Speaker's role is doubly onerous, on one side, he has to represent the country, on the other, to lead it, although Arthur Wellesley says with the earlier hours now kept by the commons and the more pliant spirits shown

...0,000 a year, and has a residence provided in while at Westminster. Mr. Courtney's occasional services are rewarded by a salary half that sum. In his official capacity Mr. Courtney is enriched with none of the dignity that pertains to the Speaker. He sits without a wig and gown on a chair below Mr. Peel's exalted position, and is addressed merely as Mr. Courtney.

there aden waches by the deep,  
 The Indian Ocean roll;  
 A long sea waves that onward sweep,  
 Janderheaded from the Poie—  
 A fought than yonder, Eastern clime  
 At saw the birth of ancient time,  
 There tall pagodas greet the sky  
 'Tis here that a sweetly olime,  
 If the voice of Buddha hime,  
 'Tis old of the peace sublime—  
 'Tis here saw the fight of Nellie Fly,  
 At seemed a Dev a flashin' by,  
 There swarming millions line the shore  
 Close by the yellow sea,  
 And the terrible moan of dash and roar  
 'Tis Yokohama's lee—  
 'Tis here saw the fight of passage fly,  
 And hailed its wing upon the sky.

...ome with the carrier's wing?  
 ...olive branch from far and near  
 ...of peace you surely bring—  
 ...all the nations watched the flight,  
 ...d hailed it as a star of light.  
 ...Herald of the news—O WORLD!  
 ...who sent the carrier dove—  
 ...your banner be unfurled  
 ...of peace, good will and love—







ENTERTAINMENTS THAT HAVE BEEN GIVEN  
ST. LOUIS LADIES IN OTHER CITIES.

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Ella Chenot is the guest of Mrs. Judge of Jefferson County, Mo.

Mrs. E. J. Ross, returning from a visit to Mrs. Saunders.

Annie Taylor leaves this week to make a visit to her relatives in Mobile, Ala.

Miss Koehler's marriage, is announced to take place on Tuesday, February 13.

Pauline for dancing, p. poses and slides.

Miss H. Bell returns home, after making a visit of a week to friends in the country.

Crisis Smith left last week for Drury, Mo., where she will remain during the winter.

Ida Wheeler, who has been in Washington for several weeks past, has returned.

J. H. Davis, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. J. E. Ross, left last week for her home.

Mrs. Charles Harris will leave on Monday for New York City in the

and Mrs. Moyle left on Wednesday to visit their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Kiley, on their home at Las Vegas. They have visited old friends and relatives in the city.

Bascom have left New Point Comfort, Va., where they will be a week; then they will go to Washington for a few days before returning home.

A. Houston from Greenville, Miss., who is in St. Louis to be present at the Boy Scouts' annual convention, had a letter from Griffith, will leave for her home in a few days.

Ladies of the different Episcopal churches of St. Louis and County met in bountiful Friday afternoon at St. Luke's Hospital, to give masses of praying on the hospital grounds.

Andrew, H. C. Townsend, who lost his home by fire, has been given possession of the house occupied by Phelps prior to her departure for California.

John McCallagh of Pine street gave a reception to ladies yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. McCallagh.

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Dr. J. McIntyre entertains the Compen-  
P. E. Club at her home, 2122 Chest-  
A. Kuntzeberg will entertain the Self-  
ent Musicale Monday at half-past 3.  
"Good Time" P. E. will meet at Mrs.  
Burley's Monday, 10th, at 8 o'clock.  
has been visiting friends at  
Ark., and returns home Saturday.  
married sister will not return home  
spring.  
Kiburna the keeping house for her  
on Olive street, and attends the  
Conservatory. She is a most accom-  
Ellsinger leaves for Philadelphia Sat-  
the 5th.

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**LITTLE LIVER PILLS.**


Stress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Bilelessness, Nausea, Provokedness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue, Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.

**PILL. SMALL DOSE. SMALL PRICE.**

Best Recommendation for  
**Cereal Flakes**

A WEEK THAT HAS BEEN FULL TO THE  
BRIM.

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 DEAREST EMILY — No



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maidens that forms of  
expression were born  
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